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Mary M. Lisi
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Rhode Island 1972 BA; Temple 1977 JD
Began Service: June 13, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: History Teacher, Prout Memorial High School (1972-1973)

Government: Assistant Public Defender, State of Rhode Island (1977-1981); Assistant Child Advocate, State of Rhode Island (1981-1982); Director, Office of the Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA), Rhode Island Family Court (1982-1987); Deputy Disciplinary Counsel, Rhode Island Supreme Court (1988-1990); Chief Disciplinary Counsel, Rhode Island Supreme Court (1990-1994); Member, Select Commission to Investigate the Failure of Rhode Island Share and Deposit Indemnity Corporation (1991-1992)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1981-1982)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Rhode Island Bar Association

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William E. Smith
District Judge

Date of Birth: December 31, 1959
Education: Georgetown 1982 BA, 1987 JD
Began Service: December 9, 2002
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Affiliation: Adjunct Faculty Member, Bryant College

Government: Staff Director, U.S. Senator Lincoln D. Chafee (R-RI), United States Senate (2000-2001)

Judicial: Judge (part-time), Town of West Warwick, Rhode Island (1993-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Edwards & Angell, LLP (1987-1994); Partner, Edwards & Angell, LLP (1994-2000); Counsel, Edwards & Angell, LLP (2001-2002)

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Ronald R. Lagueux
Senior Judge

Education: Bowdoin 1953 AB; Harvard 1956 LLB
Began Service: September 4, 1986
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Executive Counsel, Governor John H. Chafee (RI), State of Rhode Island (1962-1965); Campaign Policy Advisor, John H. Chafee for Governor

Judicial: Associate Justice, Rhode Island Superior Court (1968-1986)

Legal Practice: Edwards & Angell (1956-1962)

Current Memberships: Rhode Island Bar Association; Committee on Financial Disclosure, Judicial Conference of the United States

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**Jacob Hagopian**
Senior Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1927
Education: George Washington 1957 AB;
American U 1960 JD
Began Service: 1971

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, University of Maryland, Berlin, Germany Center (1961-1963); Adjunct Professor, American University (1964-1970); Director, Law Center and Adjunct Faculty, Roger Williams College Law Center and Providence College (1970-1987); Adjunct Professor, Suffolk University Law School (1987-1988); Adjunct Faculty, United States Naval War College (1996-1998)

Government: Code Committee Member, Uniform Code of Military Justice (2000-2003)

Judicial: Appellate Judge, United States Court of Military Review, Court of Criminal Appeals (1968-1970)

Military Service: Airborne Infantry, 11th Airborne Division, United States Army, Enlisted Service (1945-1948); 82nd Airborne Division, United States Army (1948-1950); 501st Recon Group, Korea, United States Army (1953); Far East, Tokyo, Japan, United States Army Security Agency (1954-1957); United States Army Security Agency (1957-1960); Special Operations Unit, Berlin, Germany, United States Army Security Agency (1960-1961); Legal Advisor, Intelligence Community, Berlin, Germany, Judge Advocate General Corps, United States Army (1961-1963); Appellate Counsel and Group Supervisor, Defense Appellate Division, Office of the Judge Advocate Gen, United States Army (1964-1966); Deputy and Chief, Criminal Law Division, Office of the Judge Advocate General, United States Army (1966-1968); Colonel, United States Army, JAGC (1968-1970)

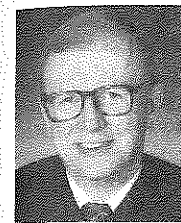
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**David L. Martin**
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Virginia 1973 JD
Began Service: September 29, 1998
Term Expires: September 28, 2014

Government: Assistant Public Defender, State of Rhode Island (1974-1981)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1981-1998)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve (1969-1971)

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Lincoln D. Almond
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 2004

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Robert W. Lovegreen
Magistrate Judge

Education: Brown 1960 AB; Virginia 1963 JD
Began Service: March 1993

Legal Practice: Higgins & Slattery (1965-1966); Hinckley, Allen, Salisbury & Parsons (1966-1985); Gidley, Lovegreen & Sarli (1985-1993)

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Arthur N. Votolato
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1930
Education: Rhode Island 1953 BA; Boston U 1956 LLB
Began Service: June 25, 1968
Term Expires: May 24, 2013

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the First Circuit

Government: Chief Special Counsel, Department of Public Works, State of Rhode Island (1962-1968)

Judicial: Chief Judge, Member, First Circuit Bankruptcy Appellate Panel (1980-1983); Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the First Circuit

Legal Practice: Partner, Votolato & Votolato (1956-1962)

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